

HOMEWORK #2

Calculate the fundamental group of the spaces below:

- (1) A 2-sphere with a diameter attached to it.
- (2) A 2-sphere with the equatorial disc attached to it.
- (3) The complement in \mathbb{R}^3 of a line and a circle. Note: There are two cases to consider, one where the line goes through the interior of the circle and the other where it doesn't. Are these two spaces homotopy equivalent?
- (4) The complement in \mathbb{R}^3 of a line and a point not on the line.
- (5) $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{x\text{-axis and } y\text{-axis}\}$.
- (6) \mathbb{R}^3 minus two disjoint lines.
- (7) $T^2 \setminus \{x, y\}$, where x, y are two distinct points on the 2-torus.
- (8) Möbius band. Are the cylinder and the Möbius band homeomorphic?